# THE 1996 DEUEL CONFERENCE ON LIPIDS

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Dr. Harmon McAllister
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Dear Dr. ~~McAllister~~ Harmon:

The 1996 Deuel Conference on Lipids will be held March 5-8, 1996 at an entirely new location in the California desert, at La Casa del Zorro in Borrego Springs, California.

The program is being organized by Dr. Jake Lusis of UCLA and will emphasize the following proposed topics:

1. *Disorders involving insulin resistance*

   Noninsulin dependent diabetes mellitus, hypertension, atherogenic lipoprotein phenotype, familial combined hyperlipidemia.

2. *Sterol and bile acid metabolism.*

   Regulation of sterol responsive genes, interaction of bile acid enterohepatic circulation with lipoprotein metabolism.

3. *Lipid interaction of the artery wall*

   Lipoprotein oxidation, antioxidant properties of HDL, arterial calcification, Lp(a).

4. *New animal models for the study of atherosclerosis*

   Transgenic and knockout mice and rabbits, hyperlipidemia, obesity, diabetes, gene therapy.

5. *Structural and functional heterogeneity of HDL*

   Reverse cholesterol transport, antioxidant properties, metabolic interactions, assembly.

"Speakers"? last year's program limit to 100 participants

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The Deuel Conference maintains an informal atmosphere, encourages free and open discussions by all attendees, and is a forum for presentation of new and unpublished data in rapidly developing new fields of research. Background information on the Deuel Conference is included to give you an idea of the informality of the organization of the conference which leads to its depth of discussion. A copy of last year's program, indicating the scope of topics, is also included.

The Deuel Conference is supported by donations from companies with an interest in lipid research, such as your own, and we are therefore soliciting your financial support. We are contacting those who have supported us in the past, or those who have expressed an interest in supporting this conference. We would be delighted to learn that you wish to send a representative to the conference. Please contact me as soon as possible with the name and address of the attendee along with your contribution to the Deuel Conference and I will forward that information to Dr. Havel's office and to Dr. Lusis's office. Because of the limitation on conference size, it is necessary to restrict supporting organizations to two representatives at the round table at a minimum donation of $2,000 per representative. In order for us to plan accordingly, an immediate reply is most desirable, with definite commitment by November 1, 1995 at the very latest.

We hope to hear from you in the near future and to see you or your representative next March.

Sincerely,

Alan Chait, M.D.
Funding Chair

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